SENTENCE TYPE IDENTIFICATION

SIMPLE SENTENCE :- Only one clause
Example:- She reads books every evening. | You can jump and dance.

COMPOUND SENTENCE :- Two or more clauses joined with these coordinate conjunctions (**FANBOYS** = *for, and, nor, but, or, yet, so*) or a semicolon.
Example:- I wanted to go to the park, **but** it started raining.

Conjunctive Adverbs :- Moreover, Therefore, However, Consequently, Furthermore, Nevertheless, Thus, Otherwise, Meanwhile, Accordingly etc.
Example:- The movie was long; however, it kept the audience entertained until the end.

COMPLEX SENTENCE :- Two or more clauses joined with these subordinate conjunctions :-After, Although, As, Because, Before, Even if, Even though, If, Once, Since, Though, Unless, Until, When, While, Who, Whom, Which, What, That etc.
Example:- When the bell rang, the students left the class.

COMPOUND-COMPLEX SENTENCE :- At least 3 clauses joined with at least one coordinate conjunction and one subordinate conjunction.
Example:- She didn't come to the party because she was sick, but she sent me a message.

~Practice Questions~

1. They wanted to go shopping, but the mall was closed.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

2. Because she studied hard, she passed the exam with flying colors.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

3. If you want to succeed in life, you must work hard.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

4. She opened the window and looked outside.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

5. Although she was tired after working all day, she decided to attend the evening class, and she even stayed late to complete her assignment.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

6. The teacher explained the new concept in detail, but many students still struggled to understand it.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

7. He left early because he had an appointment with the doctor.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

8. The train was late, so we missed the beginning of the concert.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

9. We visited the museum, and we took several photographs.
Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

10. The little boy was crying loudly, and his mother tried to comfort him while his father went to buy some ice cream.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

11. The players were exhausted after the match, but they celebrated their victory

enthusiastically because it was their final game of the season.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

12. The students were waiting patiently outside the classroom.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

13. We can go for a walk, or we can stay home and watch TV.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

14. I couldn't hear what he said because the noise was too loud.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

15. She couldn't attend the party because she was unwell, but she sent a gift to her friend.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

16. Since the weather was pleasant, the children played outside until it was dark.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

17. We planned a picnic; nevertheless, the weather ruined our plans.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

18. The baby looked up and smiled at her mother.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

19. He reads novels at night, and she prefers to watch movies before going to bed.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

20. The old man sat quietly on the bench in the park.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

21. He wanted to join the debate competition, but he was nervous because it was his first time speaking in public.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

22. The children shouted joyfully in the playground.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

23. The rain stopped, and the sun appeared.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

24. I wanted to go for a walk; however, it started raining heavily.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

25. While the teacher was explaining the lesson, the students were listening attentively, and the principal walked into the classroom.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

26. The bird sang sweetly on the tree branch.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

27. He wanted to buy a new car, yet he decided to save money for the future.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

28. She will come to the party if she finishes her work early.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

29. She studied hard for the exam; therefore, she scored the highest marks.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

30. The dog barked loudly at the stranger.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

31. She washed the dishes, and he cleaned the table.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

32. Because the movie was interesting, we stayed until the end.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

33. The students clapped loudly after the speech, and the teacher smiled proudly because they had shown good manners.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

34. The cat slept peacefully under the warm sunlight.
(a) Simple (b) Compound

(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

35. She is an excellent singer; moreover, she plays the piano beautifully.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

36. She didn't join the trip because she had an important exam.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

37. He finished his homework quickly, and then he went to play football because his friends were waiting for him.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

38. The flowers in the garden are blooming beautifully.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

39. She wanted to buy a dress, but the shop was closed.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Complex

40. If you work hard, you will achieve success, and people will admire your dedication.
(a) Simple (b) Compound
(c) Complex (d) Compound-Comple

Answer Key

1.	**(b)**	**2.**	**(c)**	**3.**	**(c)**	**4.**	**(a)**	**5.**	**(d)**
6.	**(b)**	**7.**	**(c)**	**8.**	**(b)**	**9.**	**(b)**	**10.**	**(d)**
11.	**(d)**	**12.**	**(a)**	**13.**	**(b)**	**14.**	**(c)**	**15.**	**(d)**
16.	**(c)**	**17.**	**(b)**	**18.**	**(a)**	**19.**	**(b)**	**20.**	**(a)**
21.	**(d)**	**22.**	**(a)**	**23.**	**(b)**	**24.**	**(c)**	**25.**	**(d)**
26.	**(a)**	**27.**	**(b)**	**28.**	**(c)**	**29.**	**(b)**	**30.**	**(a)**
31.	**(b)**	**32.**	(c)	**33.**	**(d)**	**34.**	**(a)**	**35.**	**(b)**
36.	**(c)**	**37.**	**(d)**	**38.**	**(a)**	**39.**	**(b)**	**40.**	**(d)**